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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Cost of Repeater Stations

The Security report of 17 October indicated the probable need for "Repeater Stations" if Agency records are to be transported to [redacted] on a regular basis.

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Today the Office of Communication, Domestic Communication Operation Branch, [redacted] provided cost estimates for such installations calling for an investment of \$6,400 with annual maintenance contracts of \$1,200.

For a vehicle to remain in Communication with a VHF radio set that operates at a line of sight range we would need two installations to cover [redacted] (one halfway [redacted] he considers available and the other at the [redacted])

The Halfway Station will require:

\$1,400 - Equipment and station  
500 - Tower  
250 - Antenna

The Base Station will require:

\$1,000 - Equipment and station  
500 - Tower  
250 - Antenna

The installation expense will be \$2,500 and maintenance contracts will be \$50 per month per station. (\$1,200 per yr.) His estimate assumes that the radios now in the Agency vehicles will be used for this Communications Link.

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CIA Records Administration Officer

DDS/SSS/RAH [redacted] (5 Nov. 1969)

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